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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant(s) petition(s) the Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application dated March 9, 2001 for three months from May 9, 2001 to August 9, 2001. Please charge **Lucent Technologies Inc. Deposit Account No. 12-2325** in the amount of \$890.00 to cover the cost of the extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to **Lucent Technologies Inc. Deposit Account No. 12-2325** as required to correct the error. Duplicate copies of this petition are enclosed.

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